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FOR: "Audio-Visual Selection Process for	:	
the Synthesis of Photo-Realistic	:	
Talking-Head Animations"	:	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please add the following paragraph at page 1, line 3:

- - Priority Application

The present application claims priority to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/820,396, filed March 29, 2001, the contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.--